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3. The Town Quay by rail is protected and the timber supplied as required to protect against abuse.

I. Medical Officer of Health and Port Medical Officer

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also Borough Surveyor, Sandwich B.

II.	Ships from	Tonnage (Unladen)	No. Inspected		Infectious Disease on Board
			By M.O.H.	By P.H.I.	
	Foreign Ports -6	578	-	4	Nil
	Coastwise -132	11,588	-	20	Nil
	Total -138	12,166	-	24	Nil

III.	Passenger Traffic	Inward)	nil	Total
		Outward)		
Cargo Traffic	Imports - timber	Coastwise - oil, beach and gravel	- nil	Tonnage 33,920
	Exports - nil			

Principal ports of origin: Sweden, Danzig, Essex.

IV. Inland Barge Traffic Nil.

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I. The district including the Town Quay and Richborough Wharf is supplied by the Thanet Water Board main's supply being water from deep chalk wells, chlorinated and gravity fed to the area.

VII. 1. Cholera cases are taken to the Queen Hospital, Broad Street, Dartford.

1951. 1952. 1953. 1954. 1955. 1956. 1957.



Medical Test of Health and Non-medical Division

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(Free) 1951, 1952, 1953, 1954, 1955, 1956, 1957 (Non 333)
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| 1951 | A | - | 872 | 873 | 874 | 875 |
| 1952 | B | - | 876 | 877 | 878 | 879 |
| 1953 | C | - | 880 | 881 | 882 | 883 |

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3. The Town Quay hydrant is protected and the fitment supplied as required to protect against abuse.

Pfizers Quay, Richborough is in private ownership, and has mains to tap supply.

4. No Water Boats use the area.

VI. 1. A list of the infected areas is maintained and revised at the Medical Officer of Health's Canterbury Office on the basis of the Weekly Epidemiological Record. Revisions are sent to the Chief Public Health Inspector Sandwich, Customs Ramsgate (Manston) and R.A.F. Medical Officer Manston, Ramsgate.

IX. 2. There is no arrangement for radio pratique.

X. 3. As all ships pass through the Ramsgate Custom's area pratique is considered on a declaration of health presented to Ramsgate Customs on first contact.

XI. The Medical Officer of Health is in touch with Customs Ramsgate through these and other duties (Aircraft Manston, Eastry R.D.)

XII. 4. There is now no declared mooring station on the River, that part of Richborough Wharf previously designated being inserviceable. The arrangement is to apply controls where berthed.

XIII. 5. (a) Infectious Diseases Hospital - Haine Isolation Hospital Ramsgate

(b) Surveillance and follow-up of contacts will be arranged as required through Medical Officers of Health of destination. No passenger traffic occurs.

(c) Gaseous disinfection can be provided for disinfection of ships.

XIV. Cleansing of persons would be carried out on board ship. There is now no cleansing station or bath house in the Borough.

Steam disinfection is available at Haine Isolation Hospital.

VII. 1. Smallpox cases are taken to the Rivers Hospital, Long Reach, Dartford.

VII. 2. The Canterbury Ambulance Station provides a Smallpox Ambulance and crew and these men are kept up to date in their vaccinal state.

3. Smallpox Consultant is Dr. J. P. Marsden, Rivers Hospital Dartford 23231 or 22443.

4. Laboratory diagnosis of Smallpox through the Public Health Laboratory Service, Maidstone or Colindale.

VIII. Venereal Diseases clinics are held in Ramsgate, Margate and Dover and details of clinics and times are displayed in the Public Health Department, Guildhall, Sandwich and in public conveniences.

IX. There were no cases to report under table D in 1961.

X. No cases of malaria occurred in the ships using the port.

XI. No measures were taken against plague as no black rats have been identified.

XII. 1. Ships from foreign ports are visited and rat certificates checked. Inspections are carried out on suspicion of infestation.

2. The Public Health Laboratory, Maidstone would be used for rat examination.

3. The district is not approved for de-ratting.

Table E - nil
Table F - not applicable.

XIII. Twenty four ships were visited for routine inspection. No detailed rat surveys were carried out and it was not found necessary to serve notice on any owners.

XIV. There are no shellfish layings in the Port Health district. Cockles are gathered outside the district in Sandwich Bay (Eastry R.D.C.) but not on a commercial basis.

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XVI. Use of the small quayside mortuary is now discontinued and arrangements have been made for the use of the Ramsgate Public Mortuary, to which any dead body would be removed. In the case of infectious causes of death special arrangements would be made for removal with disinfectant precautions.

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